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Amendments to the Specification

Please replace paragraph 1, on Page 1, lines 4-5 with the following amended paragraph:

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/172,370, filed December 16, 1999, **now U.S. Patent 6,682,902**, which is incorporated herein in full by reference.

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